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PARENTS' NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL UNION.

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Dear Mr. Garrod.

The members of my
Committee wish me to assure
you that they have given the
question of the proposed closer
alliance between the P.N.E.U.
and the Teachers' Guild their
most earnest consideration &
ask me to inform you of their
decision.

In the first place they feel
they have not the power to in
any way alter the existing

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title of the Union, without
obtaining the sanction of each
individual member. This
you will see is quite out of
the question and renders the
publication of any definite
terms of alliance an impossibility.
They consider that though
both Societies are working for
the good of Education the objects
of each are sufficiently different
as to make it desirable for
them to maintain an ~~an~~ independent
position. When combined action
is required they feel that the
voice of each body will bear
more weight as proceeding from
different channels.

I am requested to let you know

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that the P. h. S. U. Executive Committee
would be glad to accept a
representative of the Teachers' Guild
as a member of their Council, &
to appoint a representative from
the P. h. S. U. ^{whom they suggest should} ~~to~~ act upon your
Educational Committee, if you
should approve.

They hope that a great
deal may come in this way
to bring about the interchange
of views between parents &
teachers which all must
acknowledge as necessary and
helpful in dealing with
Educational Questions.

They would also suggest to
all Branch Secretaries of the P. h. S. U.
to invite members of the
Teachers Guild, where possible, to

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The meetings and lectures given
by the Branch, and to make
meetings of the Teachers' Guild
known among the members of the
Union.

On behalf of the Committee
I have to thank you, Miss Green
and Mr. Nesbitt for attending
our meeting on June 27th, and
although we find it impossible
to enter upon any definite
form of alliance we hope
for your continued sympathy
and co-operation in our work.

Yours faithfully
Frances Blogg.

H. B. Garrod Sec. ———